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Von Bernstorff is trading softly just at present.

See. Lansing is proving himself the man for the job.

Like Dr. Dumba, Mr. Archibald took a sporting chance and lost—perhaps.

Change "Didn't know it was loaded" to "Didn't know it was coming" and you have the reason for numerous train automobile accidents.

It is one of the "ten commandments" of Pueblo, Col., that "Thou shalt not spit on sidewalks or in any public place or conveyance." We trust that Pueblo's commandments are better enforced than in nineteen-twentieths of the communities of the United States.

In reply to the statement of Pres. L. R. Hutchinson of the school board in yesterday's issue, The Times wishes to say that it has been refused information on the proceedings of the board of school commissioners and that within a year, not to mention cases farther back. In the nearly 20 years The Times has been published, the board has always frowned on anything that tended toward publicity of its proceedings.

The suicide by a man who leaped from the observation gallery on the new customs house tower in Boston calls attention sharply to the demand that the gallery be enclosed either by glass or by strong wire netting in order to prevent acts of this nature. The suicide yesterday was the first to take place in the high tower over 400 feet from the street, but it will not be the last by any means if the proper safeguards are not taken. On the Eiffel tower in Paris it was found necessary to enclose the observation gallery after a man had dashed himself to death by a leap from the very great height; and other galleries on lesser elevations are generally constructed so that persons with suicidal tendencies can be restrained. The easy accessibility of a comparatively low guard rail at such a height is a powerful temptation to persons of somewhat unbalanced or distraught minds.

A WELL-EARNED CHAMPIONSHIP.

The new lawn tennis champion of the United States, William M. Johnston, has well earned the title, for he was compelled to meet some of the master hands at the lively sport, including the champion of last year, R. Norris Williams, 24, and a former champion, Maurice E. McLoughlin. Against all of those opponents Johnston showed a versatility, dash and endurance which stamp him as a wonderful performer with the racket. He was compelled to meet varying styles of playing as he met the different opponents and yet he soon adapted himself to all of them so well that his victories were clean-cut and decisive. The new champion hails from California, where they develop tennis players of the first-class sort. Indeed, it is rather unusual when California does not have a contender for the title of champion of the United States. The explanation of this situation seems to be the climatic conditions which permit all the year outdoor playing of the game on open courts, the opportunity enabling the devotees of the game to keep in constant practice.

KEEPING TRACK APPROACHES CLEAR.

An automobile and train collision near Whitehall, N. Y., recently, in which five occupants of the motor vehicle lost their lives, was attributed directly to the conditions of the grade crossing which prevented the driver of the automobile from seeing the railroad approaches, the view being shut off by trees and shrubbery. This was a condition which should not have been allowed to remain. If the progress of elimination of grade crossings is slow because of the heavy expense involved, then such crossings as are left should be made as safe as possible for the users of the highways. Doubtless it would have been possible with a slight outlay of money to clear the approach to this crossing above mentioned so that a great deal of the danger would have been removed. Certainly the truck ought to be done at once to avoid a repetition of such disasters. There are other places of like hazard, not only in New York state, but in Vermont as well. The user of the highways in Vermont can point out numerous crossings where danger is greatly augmented by the darkness of those who should be responsible for keeping the trees and shrubbery out on each side of the highway. In many places the foliage is allowed to obscure the view so that the drivers of motor vehicles and of horses pass onto the crossings without certain knowledge whether or not a train is in close proximity. Many an accident feels that he is taking a chance as he drives onto these crossings whether he be ever so careful in making a preliminary survey as he motors along slowly; and it is due to good luck and the comparative infrequency of train service that there are not many more accidents at Vermont's numerous grade crossings. There are some very powerful contributing elements to such possibilities, chief among which are the blind approaches.

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IAS BEEN FOUND TRUSTWORTHY

Republican Party Should Nominate Senator Weeks, Says "Republican."

Editor, Daily Times:

While no candidate for the Republican nomination for president should be supported who possesses no qualification excepting that he comes from New England, it has never happened that a candidate, who possesses all other qualifications, has for that reason been disqualified. The Republicans of the country have taken their presidential candidates from New England in the past and they are ready to take one again whenever the right conditions prevail. These conditions seem to prevail now. Every New England state is doubtful, and collectively they form a doubtful section—a section, too, that is rapidly increasing in population. The six New England states will send 88 delegates to the Republican convention next June, and there is every reason for considering favorably a candidate otherwise "available" who has the united support of New England—great in territory and in manufactured and agricultural products.

New York may present a candidate to the convention; likewise Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Idaho.

In territory, the six New England states include an area of 66,000 square miles; New York, 49,000; Ohio, 41,000; Illinois, 57,000; Indiana, 36,000; Iowa, 36,000; Idaho, 84,000. Certainly by comparison New England is not territorially insignificant.

Turning to the more important consideration of production of wealth, we find that of agriculture and manufactured products, the New England states contribute annually a valuation of approximately \$2,800,000,000; New York, \$3,600,000,000; Ohio, \$1,700,000,000; Illinois, \$2,300,000,000; Indiana, \$780,000,000; Iowa, \$575,000,000; Idaho, \$180,000,000.

New England is therefore on a parity with the other localities mentioned in the relative importance of these commodities is being considered; and besides, she happens to have in the person of Senator John W. Weeks a man who possesses all the qualifications properly demanded in a presidential candidate, a typical New Englander, born in northern New Hampshire, on the border of Vermont, and now representing Massachusetts in the United States Senate.

Like most men who have made good in the world, he was born poor and has fought his way up. When he was in business he was a banker, an honorable calling which commands the services of some of the most substantial men in every community; but, when Mr. Weeks entered Congress he gave up all active connection with business and when he entered the Senate, he retired absolutely from all his business affiliations, even those which were merely nominal. Mr. Weeks has been successful in whatever he has undertaken. He has abundantly met all the demands that have been made upon him, as mayor of Newton, Mass., as representative in Congress and as senator. He has been prominent in supporting and shaping our most important legislation, and is most familiar with public affairs. He has been tried in many ways and not found wanting. The person to trust for the future is one who has been found trustworthy in the past. Such a man is Senator Weeks. New England should avail herself of the opportunity, and nominate him for president. The first step is to give him the support of New England's 88 delegates. Let there be unity of action in the New England states.

It All Depends.

"Does your wife object to late dinners?"  
"Depends on whether it's due to my meeting a friend or her being at the matinee."—Omaha Bee.

Mystery.

"What did old Bastus get married for?"  
"Goodness only knows, chile. He keeps right on workin'."—Boston Transcript.

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SUNDAY SERVICES  
AT THE CHURCHES

TIMES AND PLACES OF WORSHIP  
AND SUBJECTS OF SERMONS

Mission Union Sunday School, South Barre—Meets Sunday at 3 p. m. There will be no preaching service.

East Calais Universalist Church—F. E. Adams, pastor. Service at 10:45 a. m.; subject, "The Second Coming of Christ."

Swedish Mission on Brook street—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Service at 7 p. m., when M. W. Frolund of Youngstown, O., will preach.

East Barre Congregational Church—James Ramage, pastor. Preaching service at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor service at 7 p. m.

Church of the Good Shepherd—W. J. M. Beattie, rector. Holy communion at 8 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Evening prayer and sermon at 7. Sunday school at 11:50.

Christian Science Church—Service at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday evening service at 7:30. For these services all are welcome. The reading room is open Tuesday and Friday from 2 to 4 p. m. 7 Summer street.

St. John the Baptist Episcopal Church, Westerville—W. J. M. Beattie, rector. Evening prayer and sermon at 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Service Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, followed by rehearsal of the choir.

First Presbyterian Church—E. Crossland, pastor. 10:30 a. m. "The Church vs. the War." Sunday school at noon. At 7 p. m. "The Nations at War—Turkey." The pastor was in Turkey in 1910 and he will speak of his impressions.

Salvation Army—Open-air service at Depot square this evening at 7:30. Free and easy meeting indoors at 8. Sunday services—Sunday school at 1:30. Christian praise service at 3. Service at Solid Rock chapel, Foxville, at 3; subject, "The Saviour of the God-Forsaken." Young People's legion meeting at 6:30. Open-air meeting at 7:30. Salvation meeting at 8; subject, "The Nearness of Hell." All are cordially invited to attend our services.

Congregational Church—J. W. Barnett, pastor. 10:30 a. m., worship and sermon; subject, "God's Gracious Invitation." 12 m., Sunday school. Let all try to be in their places. At 7 p. m., worship and sermon; subject, "The Way to Peace." Thursday at 7:30 p. m., regular mid-week meeting; topic, "Christian Memories." Ps. 137:1-9. A cordial welcome to all the services of this church is extended to all who do not have a regular church home.

Presbyterian Church, Graniteville—F. McNeil, pastor. The church, which has been undergoing repairs, will be ready for worship Sunday. Rev. James McGinnis, Presbyterian missionary to the logging camps in Vermont, will speak at both morning and evening services. Sunday school at close of morning service. A joint meeting of session and board of managers will be held at close of morning service to consider advisability of getting a special man for October communion. Woman's Missionary society will give a social in the hall at Westerville Tuesday evening.

First Baptist Church—G. H. Holt, pastor. Morning service at 10:30; subject, "The Perfect Boy." This will be a Sunday school at church day and all scholars and parents are especially urged to be present. Bible school at 12; subject, "Elijah's Flight and Return." I Kings 19:8-18. At 6:30, Christian Endeavor; subject, "Friendships That Are Worth Forming." Prov. 27:6-19; leader, Rev. Mr. Holt. At 7 p. m., evening service; subject, "Life's Triumph." Thursday evening at 6:45 teachers' meeting; 7:30, prayer meeting, subject, "My Message from the Book of Matthews."

Universalist Church—J. B. Beardon, minister. Public worship and sermon at 10:45; Rev. H. E. Gierist of New York will preach. Bible study at 11:45; subject, "Elijah's Flight and Return." Young people's devotional meeting will be postponed on account of the illustrated lecture on "The Rise and Growth of Universalism in America," by Mr. Gierist. Public welcome. At the evening service Prof. W. A. Wheaton will play "Ave Maria" (Jungmann) and "Postlude in C2" (Demmen). George F. Mackay will sing "The Hills of God" (Neven) and "The Heavenly Song" (Gray).

Hedding Methodist Episcopal Church—E. F. Newell, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30; subject, "The Cost of Defeat in War." Short sermon to young people; subject, "We Must Not Grind the Seed Corn." Sunday school at 11:30; subject, "Discouragements and Encouragements." All members of the school rally to it. Young people's meeting at 6; school and college evening; banners and college speakers; Miss Hazel Lyon, leader. Special music. All welcome. Service at 7 for old and young; subject, "Missing the Chance." Lessons from the past and from such a life as that of John D. Long of Massachusetts. All the men of the church ought to be present on Wednesday evening for business relating to home, city and church life.

SOUTH BARRE.  
Rev. Mr. Moore, who is visiting here will speak at the Sunday school chapel at 2 o'clock. The Sunday school will meet as usual at 2 p. m.

Collection of Garbage

Householders' attention is once more called to the fact that all paper and waste material will be collected if put in barrels and placed on curbing in front of house, early in morning. Wagons will call in respective sections of the city, as follows:  
Mondays—South Main. Backholder's corner, Ayres, and north side Washington.  
Tuesdays—South side Washington, Elm, Currier park, and vicinity.  
Wednesdays—From Elm to Backley hill and all streets east of Summer.  
Thursdays—North Main and streets between Main and Summer and streets north of Berlin street.  
Fridays—All streets from Berlin to Granite on West side of Main street.  
Saturdays—Hooker hill district, Hooker, and all streets south of Granite street on west side of Main.  
All garbage or soil will also be collected if placed in metal cans with discharging covers, and placed where it can be conveniently reached.  
Report any neglect in collection of waste to the health committee, city hall.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PEOPLE'S NATIONAL BANK OF BARRE, AT BARRE CITY, IN THE STATE OF VERMONT, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS SEPTEMBER 2, 1915.

| RESOURCES  |              |              |
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| Loans and discounts  | \$420,164.95 |              |
| Overdrafts, secured, \$88.50; unsecured, \$278.26  | 351.54       |              |
| U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)  | \$100,000.00 |              |
| U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)   | 7,000.00     |              |
| Total U. S. bonds  | 107,000.00   |              |
| Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits  | \$4,500.00   |              |
| Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits                                     | 19,000.00    |              |
| Bonds and securities pledged as collateral for state, or other deposits or bills payable (postal excluded) | 41,588.44    |              |
| Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned   | 127,740.34   |              |
| Subscription to stock of federal reserve bank  | \$6,700.00   | 198,448.60   |
| Less amount unpaid   | \$,880.00    | \$2,820.00   |
| All other stocks, including premium on same  | 1,100.00     | 4,450.00     |
| Net amount due from federal reserve bank   | 1,620.00     | 7,000.00     |
| Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis                            | \$10,000.00  |              |
| Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other cities  | 17,820.02    | 27,850.02    |
| Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in above)                                       | 1,178.46     |              |
| Outside checks and other cash items  | \$2,630.49   | 2,761.76     |
| Fractional currency, notes, and coins  | 117.27       | 1,236.00     |
| Notes of other national banks  |              |              |
| Lawful money reserve in bank:  |              |              |
| Total coin and certificates  | 4,888.25     |              |
| Less tender notes  | 2,005.00     |              |
| Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (not more than 5 per cent. on circulation)                            | \$5,000.00   | 5,000.00     |
| Total  | \$778,844.35 |              |
| LIABILITIES  |              |              |
| Capital stock paid in  | \$100,000.00 |              |
| Surplus fund   | 11,000.00    | \$111,000.00 |
| Total capital and surplus  |              | \$111,000.00 |
| Undivided profits  | \$1,231.12   |              |
| Reserve for taxes  | 781.84       | \$22,086.77  |
| Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid  | 1,632.15     | 20,454.64    |
| Circulating in hand and in treasury for redemption or in transit   | \$100,000.00 |              |
| Due to banks and bankers (other than included in above)  | 2,600.00     | 97,400.00    |
| Dividends unpaid   | 17.50        |              |
| Demand deposits:   |              |              |
| Individual deposits subject to check   | 140,160.71   |              |
| Certificates of deposit due in less than 90 days   | 28,811.87    |              |
| Certified checks   | 1.60         |              |
| Other time deposits  | 2,787.81     |              |
| United States deposits   | 5,000.00     |              |
| Postal savings deposits  | 10,421.70    |              |
| Time deposits (payable after 90 days, or subject to 90 days' notice):                                      |              |              |
| Certificates of deposit  | \$19,468.21  |              |
| Other time deposits  | 307,250.47   | \$226,818.65 |
| Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed   | 35,000.00    |              |
| Total  | \$778,844.35 |              |

State of Vermont, County of Washington, ss:  
I, W. C. JOHNSON, JR., cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
W. C. JOHNSON, JR., Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of September, 1915.  
MARY SEXTON, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:  
W. D. SMITH,  
W. V. HOLDEN,  
F. D. LADD, Directors.

A MOUNTAIN  
COURTSHIP

By M. QUAD  
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The mountaineer and his wife had to go down the valley about a mile to see a sick neighbor, and I was left at the cabin with their daughter, a girl of eighteen. As soon as she had cleared off the supper table and while I sat on the doorstep smoking she put on a clean apron, arranged hair a bit and blushed very red as she said to me: "Him's comin' to see me tonight—and him's very skeery and—and—" "Do you mean that your young man is coming?" I asked. "Reckon him is." "And he's bashful?" "Him can't skeerly abide dad and mam." "I see. He'd be scared off if he found me sitting here. Well, I'll take a walk and be out of the way." "No, no, no! You're perfectly proper. I'll go out and sit down on the log, and you stay right yere." "Oh, that's it? Well, don't you mind me in the least." The log was only thirty feet away, and she hadn't been sitting there over five minutes when "him" appeared. He had probably been in hiding somewhere near. All I could see was that he was a young man, very bashful and awkward. He sat down about ten feet away from her, and it was about five minutes before either spoke. "Who's him?" queried Jim as he nodded his head in my direction. "Stranger, gwine further up," she answered. "You hain't no call to be skeered of him nor nobody." "Who's skeered?" "Reckon you is." "Shoot! Never was skeered in all my life. Linda, does your old dad like me?" "Reckon he do." "And your mam?" "Reckon she do." "And, Linda—" He stopped there for a long, long time, and Linda coughed and gazed over his embarrassment. By and by she said: "Dad says you come powerful nigh killin' a b'ar last week." No reply. "Mam says you took up them ten acres of land above Parker's." No reply. "Has you lost your tongue, Jim?" she asked after a long silence. "Co'se not; I was thinkin'," he replied as he heaved a deep sigh. "Reckon I know what 'was. Te-he-he!" "Reckon you don't." "Co'se I do. Dad likes you, mam likes you, and I—" That log suddenly contracted again and brought them close together, and Jim's arm stole around Linda's waist as he finished the sentence for her with: "And we's gwine to be fined in the fall and live on them acres! Linda, if him wasn't back then in that doak I'd skeerly bug you, I would."

heard nor saw much. By and by I got up and walked away. "Of co'se he did—of co'se," said the wife. "Yes, he un would git up and walk away," sighed the husband. "Would you like Jim for a son-in-law?" I asked after a bit. "Stranger," replied the man as he laid aside his pipe so as to have both hands free to gesture with, "that yere young man has killed a b'ar with a knife." "And a whop-m' big b'ar at that," added the wife. "He has shot three wildcats, suh." "Shot three and skeered off a fourth." "And he has swum the Cumberland river, suh." "And it was in flood too." "And he has killed mo' coons and foxes and possums in the last two y'ars, suh, than any two men in the state." "Of co'se he has—of co'se." "And he made the elephant run when the last circus cam along, suh." "And it was a whopper of an elephant, too—for suh it was." "And, suh," continued the husband as he stood on his feet, "that yere Jim cam outtholler, outrun, outwaddle, outfight and outliff any critter of his age fur fifty miles around." "Of co'se he kin—of co'se," added the wife as she also stood up. "And, suh, in a y'ar or two mo' we ar' gwine to send him to the legislature, and he's gwine to swell around these mountains with a plug hat and a cane. All this, suh, and you axes me if I'd take him for a son-in-law!" "Of co'se we would—of co'se," said the wife.

Thackeray's Appetite. Thackeray, telling of a dinner he enjoyed at Antwerp, said it consisted "of green pea soup, boiled salmon, mussels, crimped skate, roast meat patties, melon, carp stewed with mushrooms and onions, roast turkey, cauliflower, fillets of venison, stewed calf's ear, roast veal, roast lamb, stewed cherries, Gruyere cheese and about twenty-four cakes of different kinds. Except five, thirteen and fourteen I ate all, with three rolls of bread and a score of potatoes." Those twenty potatoes remind the reader of the dreadful distillation of Charlotte Bronte when she came to London and sat opposite her literary lion at dinner. "Oh, Mr. Thackeray!" she cried in shocked surprise as she watched him eat. She had never imagined a hero who ate potatoes by the score.

Advice to Young People. Be not a counterfeiter, my boy. Counterfeits don't make good. Seek public office if you will, but where many things occur, few take place. My daughter, always give the census taker your present husband's name. Why confuse him with a recital of past divorce or future alimony? Ability, my children, is not all of one kind. One man gets what he wants because we like his amiability; another because we fear his irritability. Some professors are accounted wise because of their incomprehensibility, and I know a man who draws a pension for total disability. My boy, I hope they'll call you "the salt of the earth," but have some ginger and pepper on your mental premises, too.—Judge. Novel Rabbit Catcher. Crabs are put to a curious use on certain parts of the Devonshire furrows. They are used to catch rabbits. Having located a promising burrow, the snarer takes a crab and affixes a short length of lighted candle to the back of its shell. The behavior of a crab which fasts itself in a narrow inclosure is well known. It begins to run. It therefore starts away up the burrow at top rate and presently the rabbit is horrified at the sight of a jagged, flaming cone coming to his assistance. Off he goes for the other end, only to find himself, when he emerges, in a trap.—London Spectator.

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- 12½c lot Colored Outing Flannel, yd. 9c
- Lot Wash Goods for school wear—Your choice of 15c, 18c, 20c goods, per yard ..... 12½c

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- New fall House Dresses, large sizes, each ..... \$1.25
- New fall House Dresses in Shepherd Checks, each ..... \$1.25

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- Lot of soiled Waists from our August sale that were 50c, 75c and \$1.00; now, your choice, each ..... 39c
- New fall styles in Waists .... \$1.00, \$1.25
- New Black Silk Waist, special .... \$1.98
- City stores' \$2.95 Silk Waists for \$2.25

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